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TELEPHONE SERVICES OF A DATA PROCESSING DEVICE FOR A  
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This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 11, 2000, and having a period for response set to expire on January 11, 2001. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please AMEND the claims as follows:

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1. (ONCE AMENDED) A communication support system which is adapted to connect a telephone unit through a communication control device to a data processing device and adapted to connect a telephone network to the communication control device, the communication support system comprising:

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